

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A process wherein data from CAD drawings is stored in a central location for collision checking purposes.
2. A system according to claim 1, wherein part of a computer file name indicates a physical location and another part indicates the source of the data contained therein.
3. A system according to claim 1, tracking code names for drawings back to their source files.
4. A system according to claim 1, advising each draftsman, in conflict with another, of the conflict.
5. A system according to claim 1, wherein each draftsman can set parameters for warning when systems are within a specified range 3-dimensionally instead of just when they actually collide.
6. A system according to claim 1, where computers are linked through the internet for collision checking purposes.
7. A system according to claim 1, where computers are linked through a network for collision checking purposes.
8. A system for collision checking between drawings.